

Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 GENEVA 01489 011918Z
ACTION ACDA-10

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 EA-07 IO-13 ISO-00 NEA-10 AF-08 ARA-06
CIAE-00 PM-04 H-01 INR-07 L-03 NASA-01 NSAE-00 NSC-05
OIC-02 SP-02 PA-01 PRS-01 OES-06 SS-15 USIA-06 SAJ-01
/122 W

-----020518 096663 /12

R 011808Z MAR 77
FM USMISSION GENEVA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5556
INFO AMEMBASSY BONN
AMEMBASSY BUDAPEST
AMEMBASSY LONDON
AMEMBASSY MOSCOW
NEW DELHI 1791
OTTAWA 3340
AMEMBASSY ROME
AMEMBASSY THE HAGUE
AMEMBASSY TOKYO
USMISSION UN NEW YORK
USMISSION NATO
ERDA HQ EASHDC
ERDA GERMANTOWN
DOD WASHDC

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE GENEVA 1489

E.O. 11652: NA
TAGS: PARM, CCD, IN, HU
SUBJ: CCD: 732ND PLENARY MEETING, MARCH 1, 1977

1. SUMMARY: THE 732ND PLENARY MEETING OF THE CCD WAS
HELD MARCH 1. INDIA MADE GENERAL STATEMENT TOUCHING ON
NEW MASS DESTRUCTION WEAPONS (MDW), UN SPECIAL SESSION
ON DISARMAMENT (SSOD), AND PROCEDURAL ISSUES. HUNGARY MADE
SOCIALIST-LINE STATEMENT STRESSING COMPREHENSIVE
LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 GENEVA 01489 011918Z

TEST BAN (CTB), MDW AND CHEMICAL WEAPONS (CW) PROHIBITION.
END SUMMARY.

2. INDIAN REP (JAIN) ADDRESSED 732ND PLENARY MEETING
OF CCD, HELD MARCH 1, WITH BRIEF, GENERAL STATEMENT ON
INTEREST OF ALL STATES IN DISARMAMENT, "PARTICULARLY IN
THE ELIMINATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND ALL OTHER TYPES OF

WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION." IN COMMENTS ON NECESSITY FOR DELIBERATIVE FORUMS IN WHICH "ALL STATES" MAY VOICE THEIR VIEWS ON DISARMAMENT, HE STRESSED IMPORTANCE OF THE COLOMBO CONFERENCE RECOMMENDATION TO HAVE A "BROAD-BASED" AGENDA FOR THE UN SPECIAL SESSION ON DISARMAMENT, WHILE LEAVING "ACTUAL NEGOTIATIONS" ON SPECIFIC ISSUES TO "A SMALL NEGOTIATING BODY" WHICH WOULD DELIBERATE IN CLOSED SESSIONS. INDIAN REP REMARKED ON SPECIAL LINK BETWEEN COMMITTEE AND UN AND STRESSED IMPORTANCE OF CONSENSUS PRINCIPLE AND PROCEDURAL FLEXIBILITY IN CCD'S PROGRESS IN THEIR SERIOUS WORK AND NEGOTIATIONS ON DISARMAMENT ISSUES.

3. HUNGARIAN REP (DOMOKOS) MADE GENERAL, SOCIALIST-LINE STATEMENT FOCUSING PRIMARILY ON CTB. STATED THAT HUNGARY TOO SAW ROLE FOR CCD IN DRAFTING TREATY ON CTB AND SAW US-USSR BILATERALS AND IAEA AS "INTEGRAL PARTS" OF PROGRESS TOWARD A CTB. HUNGARIAN REP FOLLOWED SOVIET POSITION ON PARTICIPATION IN CTB AND STATED THAT WITHOUT PARTICIPATION OF ALL NUCLEAR POWERS "WE CANNOT PUT AN END TO THE ARMS RACE." HE SAW CTB VERIFICATION BY NATIONAL TECHNICAL MEANS SUPPLEMENTED BY INTERNATIONAL SEISMIC DATA EXCHANGE AS ADEQUATE, BUT WAS ENCOURAGED BY SOVIET WILLINGNESS TO COMPROMISE REGARDING ON-SITE VERIFICATION ISSUE. HUNGARIAN REP SUPPORTED PNE PROVISION IN SOVIET DRAFT AS "IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE V OF NON-PROLIFERATION TREATY (NPT) AND CONDEMNED ATMOSPHERIC TESTING BY ONE OF THE NUCLEAR POWERS NOT PARTY TO THE LIMITED TEST BAN TREATY. HUNGARIAN REP CALLED ON COMMITTEE TO PURSUE NEGOTIATIONS ON MDW AS ONE OF ITS "IMPORTANT OBLIGATIONS" AND SAW INFORMAL MEETINGS ON MDW LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 03 GENEVA 01489 011918Z

AS USEFUL AND INSTRUCTIVE. HUNGARIAN REP SAW POSSIBILITY FOR REAL PROGRESS THIS YEAR ON CW ISSUES IN LIGHT OF SOVIET WILLINGNESS TO DISCUSS ALTERNATIVE VERIFICATION SCHEME. HE SUPPORTED ITALIAN PROPOSAL TO FORM WORKING GROUP TO STUDY CW.

4. JAPANESE DEL SUBMITTED WORKING PAPER ON LOCATION CAPABILITY OF A MULTI-ARRAY STATION SYSTEM, AND PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE OF CCD MEETINGS WAS PRESENTED AND ADOPTED WITH MINOR CHANGES.

5. NEXT PLENARY SESSION WILL BE HELD MORNING MARCH 3.CATTO

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: DISARMAMENT, MEETINGS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Sent Date: 01-Mar-1977 12:00:00 am
Decaption Date: 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 22 May 2009
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1977GENEVA01489
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Expiration:
Film Number: D770071-0276
Format: TEL
From: GENEVA
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1977/newtext/t197703106/aaaadpum.tel
Line Count: 108
Litigation Code IDs:
Litigation Codes:
Litigation History:
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Message ID: 190a28ad-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Office: ACTION ACDA
Original Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Retention: 0
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 21-Oct-2004 12:00:00 am
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review Media Identifier:
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
SAS ID: 2953745
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: CCD: 732ND PLENARY MEETING, MARCH 1, 1977
TAGS: PARM, IN, HU, CCD
To: STATE
Type: TE
vdkgvwkey: odb://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/190a28ad-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Review Markings:
Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
22 May 2009
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 22 May 2009